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Applicant: D. Nalewajek et al.

Application No: 09/854,244

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Attorney Docket No: 30-4356 Div 1

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COMPOUNDS

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Danielle M. LangdonCommissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

This election is being filed in response to the Restriction Requirement of December 30, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application. Applicants also hereby petition for a three-month extension of time, thereby extending the time limit of response through April 30, 2003. The commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 19-5425 for fees associated with this petition.

The Examiner restricted prosecution of the above-identified application to one of eight grouping claims:

Group I - Claims 9, 19-31;

Group II - Claims 32-35, 48-52;

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Group III - Claims 36-47;

Group IV - Claim 53;

Group V - Claims 54-55;

Group VI - Claim 56;

Group VII - Claim 57;

Group VIII - Claims 58-61.

In response, Applicants hereby elect to proceed with Group III, Claims 36-47.

Thank you.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 29, 2003



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